# Air Resources Board



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# AB 32 Administrative Fee Regulation Workshop Draft Regulatory Language

The Air Resources Board (ARB) invites you to participate in a public workshop to discuss the draft AB 32 Administrative Fee Regulation language.

Health and Safety Code Section 38597 (AB 32, Nunez, Chapter 488, Statues of 2006), added by the Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006, authorizes ARB to adopt by regulation a schedule of fees to be paid by sources of greenhouse gas emissions (GHG) to support the administrative costs of implementing AB 32. ARB is in the process of developing a rulemaking for this fee, with the intent of bringing a proposed regulation to the Board for consideration in May 2009.

This workshop is intended to provide an opportunity for stakeholders' input on the draft regulatory language. The workshop will contain time for questions and detailed discussion after staff presentation.

# Where and When is the Meeting?

This meeting will be held at Cal/EPA Headquarters in Sacramento and will also be webcast.

DATE: Wednesday, February 25, 2009

TIME: 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 pm

PLACE: Cal/EPA Headquarters Building

Coastal Hearing Room, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor

1001 | Street

Sacramento, CA 95814

#### **Meeting Topic Details**

The purpose of the workshop is to introduce the draft regulatory language for the Administrative Fee Regulation.

#### **Meeting Materials**

Meeting materials and an agenda will be posted on February 19, 2009 at <a href="http://www.arb.ca.gov/cc/adminfee/adminfee/htm">http://www.arb.ca.gov/cc/adminfee/adminfee/htm</a>. At this website you may also join our electronic mailing list to receive further notices of ARB activities and public meetings related to the implementation of AB 32.

The energy challenge facing California is real. Every Californian needs to take immediate action to reduce energy consumption. For a list of simple ways you can reduce demand and cut your energy costs, see our website: http://www.arb.ca.gov.

California Environmental Protection Agency

### Can't Make it to the Meeting?

This meeting will be webcast, and viewers can email written comments or questions during the session to <a href="mailto:ccworkshops@arb.ca.gov">ccworkshops@arb.ca.gov</a>. Webcast links are posted at <a href="http://www.calepa.ca.gov/broadcast/?BDO=1">http://www.calepa.ca.gov/broadcast/?BDO=1</a>. ARB recommends that you do not run other programs while viewing the webcast, as it may interrupt or lower the quality of the signal.

#### **Directions to Cal/EPA**

There are many ways to arrive at the Cal/EPA Headquarters Building but we encourage you to take public transportation or drive low emission/high efficiency vehicles whenever possible. Use the following link for directions and information on public transit: <a href="http://www.calepa.ca.gov/EPAbldg/location.htm">http://www.calepa.ca.gov/EPAbldg/location.htm</a>.

## **Special Accommodations or Language Assistance**

If you require special accommodations or language needs, please contact Mary Farr at (916) 445-8290 or <a href="mailto:mfarr@arb.ca.gov">mfarr@arb.ca.gov</a> as soon as possible, but no later than 7 business days before the scheduled event/meeting. TTY/TDD/Speech to Speech users may dial 7-1-1 for the California Relay Service.

#### **We Value Your Input**

We welcome and encourage your participation in this important effort. If you have questions regarding the workshop or the Administrative Fee Regulation development, please contact Jeannie Blakeslee at (916) 445-8286 or <a href="mailto:iblakesl@arb.ca.gov">iblakesl@arb.ca.gov</a>.

Sincerely,

Charles M. Shulock Assistant Executive Officer